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## REFINED SUGAR UP 10 POINTS

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Refined sugars were advanced ten points today. It is thought the recent cut of the Western refineries was due to manipulation and the prices will steadily advance.

## Rebate On Foreign Coal To Last For a Year

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Ways and Means Committee of the House reported favorably today on a bill providing for a rebate on coal importations from foreign countries equal to the present duty on coal under the Dingley law. This rebate is to continue for a year from the time the bill is passed. This bill is causing a heated discussion, but owing to the widespread distress in consequence of the coal shortage and disclosures of coal being held for higher prices, the measure is likely to pass. The vote on the bill will be taken tomorrow.

## COAL THEFTS NOT ILLEGAL

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The intense cold that has prevailed for the past few days throughout the Middle West is increasing, and tales of great suffering are steadily coming in from all parts of the country. The coal supply, which is already inadequate, is diminishing.

The Workhouse Board of Toledo, Ohio, has given notice that no prosecutions for coal thefts will be recognized by it while the present coal famine lasts. The people are very much wrought up, and action by Congress to break the coal famine by vigorous measures is urged on all sides.

## GEN. WOOD TO MINDANAO

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—President Roosevelt has announced that General Leonard Wood will be appointed to the command of American forces in the Province of Mindanao. General Wade will succeed General Davis in supreme command of the Department of the Philippines. Other changes are expected.

## PERKINS IS RE-ELECTED

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—Senator George C. Perkins was this morning re-elected to the United States Senate by the California Legislature.

STOCKS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Hawalian Commercial, \$44 1/2; Honokaa, \$14; Makawili, \$27; Onomea, \$23; Pauuhau, \$16.

WHAT PRESIDENT BAER SAYS.

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—President Baer of the Reading Railroad system, and chief factor among the coal operators, has published a statement regarding the present coal famine. He says that the present shortage is due to an undue advance made by the smaller companies and operators.

ANOTHER MATTER FOR INTERVENTION.

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

MADRID, Jan. 13.—The pretender's army is overcoming the forces of the Sultan and foreigners are quitting Fez for fear of a general reign of anarchy. Intervention by the Powers is not unlikely.

CHINA WILL DOUBLE DUTIES.

(Associated Press Special Cable.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Minister Conger cables the State Department that China will be compelled to double the duties now levied on foreign imports if the Powers insist on the payment of the indemnity in gold. The United States has already agreed to accept silver.

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## CAR OFF THE TRACK

Rapid Transit cars all along the Punahou and Liliha street line were thrown out this morning by an accident to car No. 24. It was at about 5 o'clock that this car broke an axle at the corner of Hotel and Fort streets. Another car hitched on and tried to drag the disabled member to the barn. In front of the Hawaiian hotel on Hotel street No. 24 went off the track and when past Richards street became uncontrollable and was landed near the stone wall. A similar accident to another car took place near the Maipoa terminus a few nights ago.

The accident to No. 24 this morning tied up the whole of the Punahou and Liliha street system and made many business men late for their work. At 2:30 o'clock, men were still trying to get car No. 24 on the track.

"House for Rent" signs on sale at Bulletin office.

The Bulletin, 75 cents per month.

## GENERAL MEETING WILL BE CALLED

To Remedy Abuses In The Building Trade.

ACTION OF DIRECTORS OF BUILDERS EXCHANGE

IMPORTANT MEETING LAST NIGHT PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TO GO-OPERATE.

The most important meeting of the Board of directors of the Builders and Traders' Exchange since the completion of the organization of that association of business men of the city, was held in headquarters in the Elite building last evening.

Among those present were Marston Campbell, assistant Superintendent of Public Works and E. G. Keen, Plumbing Inspector. Mr. Campbell assured the directors that the Department of Public Works would cooperate with the exchange as far as possible.

At the time of the meeting, the laws which the exchange will recommend to the legislature were being typewritten and therefore could not be presented for consideration. The legislative committee was instructed to have these proposed laws ready for the annual meeting, which is to take place on the 22d inst. This committee was also given instructions to confer with the executive committee of the Republican party with reference to the matter of the proposed legislation.

In passing, it might be of interest to many people to mention some of the provisions included in the bill. In the first place it might be well to state that there will be no more than two bills from the Builders and Traders' Exchange. In fact, there may be but one. It is possible that the plumbing regulations will be included in the general building law.

The proposed law is specially adapted to Honolulu. It divides the buildings of the city into two classes, and provides for the filing of plans and the taking out of permits. The system proposed is not a great modification from the present one but it is infinitely more up-to-date. It is specially drawn so that no hardship shall come to the poor man who has a small section of land and wants to erect thereon a house in accordance with the dimensions of his property.

The stricter provisions are intended for the large buildings, such as hotels, warehouses and the like, whether they be built of wood, iron, stone, cement or steel. It will be readily seen that there is more risk with reference to these latter buildings and that therefore it is necessary to have stricter laws. The law does not discriminate in favor of the poor man and it is a decided improvement on the bill proposed by the Merchants' Association two years ago and incorporated in the Republican municipal charter introduced in the Senate.

Considerable other legislation was proposed but there was a general feeling on the part of the board of directors that the exchange should confine its main efforts to the building and plumbing bills. As far as other legislation was concerned in which the exchange was interested, there could be cooperation with the other organizations desiring such legislation.

The committee on Cable Day made a formal report and was discharged. The committee on the proposed estimates for a new Custom House building reported that C. W. Dickey, the architect, and a member of the committee, had drawn up a rough sketch of a three-story building. The building proposed is to be 200 feet square, classic in design, and has been drawn in conformity with the requirements as set forth by Collector Stackable and the Marine Hospital and immigration services.

A committee consisting of Arthur Harrison, F. J. Amweg and J. H. Craig was appointed to call a meeting of all the general contractors of the city, whether members of the exchange or not, for the purpose of discussing a remedy for certain abuses which have crept into the trade.

Names of candidates for the position are known to have been submitted to Governor Dole and the Republican Central Committee. There is a probability that the old proposition will be revived, of having the president made a salaried officer. It is just as certain that this will encounter strong opposition, especially in view of structural changes in the health service consequent on the inauguration of municipal government.

## SENT ASHORE IN A SHIP'S BOAT

How Two Stowaways Fared On Ship Vincennes.

CAPTAIN WANTED TO AVOID COMPLICATIONS

DURANT BOUGHT BOAT AT AUCTION AND THEN RAN UP AGAINST CUSTOMS OFFICIALS.

## ARAB CALLS FOR OIL

STEAMER ON HER WAY TO HONGKONG, CHINA

FLIES DANISH FLAG, HAS AMERICAN OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES CHINESE CREW—SAILS SOON.

SMALL FLASH ARAB

The oilburning steamship Arab, en route from San Francisco for Hongkong, was sighted early this morning. She steamed into the harbor and was docked at the railroad wharf at about 11 o'clock. The Arab left San Francisco January 1, bound for Hongkong direct. She encountered very heavy head winds and seas and buffeting against them for twelve days so reduced her on supply that she had to call at this port to replenish her tanks.

The weather encountered by the Arab was so rough that on several occasions the steamer had to slow down. The Arab is quite a peculiar vessel in her way. She flies the Danish flag, being owned in St. Thomas, Danish West Indies, has American officers and a Chinese crew. The Arab was in this port a couple of years ago. She was then employed in the transport service.

Captain Gow, the master of the Arab, intends to get his vessel under way again as soon as possible. As the taking on board of the fuel oil will only take a very short time, he expects to be ready to leave this port either tonight or tomorrow morning.

The men from Camp McKinley have begun their work on the two thousand yard target, stationed off the beach road in the vicinity of the sewer pumping station. This target was placed in position yesterday and the men came in from the camp to do the shooting with their three mortars this morning. The practice will continue for several days. Only one company turned out this morning and fired quite a number of shots. Yesterday the work was simply for the purpose of making trials. Eight shots were fired by the 67th company to determine the relative positions of the guns to the base line. Captain J. B. Douglas was in charge of the firing today. Each company is to fire sixty shots.

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## Dr. Sloggett Has Resigned

from the Board is that the increasing duties of the position interfere with his private practice. He has been a member for about two years, most of the time being president. His ability as a presiding officer has been marked and his devotion to the interests of the public health earnest and unflinching. It will not be an easy matter to satisfactorily fill the place he vacates.

by A. Durant, who runs a launch in the harbor. He purchased it in good faith with the intention of putting a gasoline engine in and using her as a launch. However, his plans were upset yesterday when the Custom House officials descended on the boat, confiscated it, and had it piled high and dry on the Oceanic wharf.

Collector of the Port E. R. Stackable, when asked about the matter this morning stated that the boat had been unlawfully brought into the country. Plainly, it was smuggled. It had therefore been confiscated. Should Durant wish to get his boat back again, he must pay the appraised value plus the duty on it. Should he not wish to do this, the United States Customs will rejoice in the possession of a fine boat. Durant stated this morning that he could not tell whether he would redeem the boat or not. He is now waiting to see what the appraised value of the boat and the duty will amount to.

## LANAI CASE POSTPONED

John F. Colburn received word that the malicious mischief case from Lanai ranch was postponed by Judge Kahalo, at Lahaina yesterday morning. To Wednesday, the 21st inst. Attorney Clarence W. Ashford returns to Honolulu tonight in the steamer Alaskan from Kahului.

## THE HIGHER LIFE AND ITS MEANING

T. Thomas Forstner gave a very interesting address in Kawalaho church on Sunday morning last, his subject being: "The Higher Life." A resume of the address is as follows: "The towering mountains stand here still where nature reared them in a moment of convulsion; the stuporous valleys, rich for the harvest, smiling in gladness, are here still; the great ocean, teeming with marine life, and the rushing streams, dancing through glen and glade, madly rushing to the lowlands, here they are; but the millions of Hawaiians who once swarmed upon the mountains and in the valleys and upon the ocean and upon stream, where are they?

"Ye have the memory of them in song and story, and the record of their hopes and achievements, in part or in whole, is written in the books, where he who runs may read. But think ye that is to be all and the end all of it? That part of it which will crumble, with the lapse of ages and the mutation of material things, back to the dust from which, is that the be all and the end all of it?

"No! There is no death, for the flesh returns to dust and to ashes but the spirit survives the wreck of matter and the crush of worlds. We build our monument in the higher life which abides in the minds of men and in an immortality in the God world, which was without beginning and will be without end.

"The Lunalilo Home, the Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum and much else in the life, the hopes and strivings of the Hawaiian people—these monuments, the Lunalilo Home and the Bishop Museum, and like benefactions here, of your dead people who live, will stand when the names of the money-getters who have built upon the sorrows and misfortunes of their fellow-men have been forgotten, lost in the oblivion reserved for selfishness and cruelty."

Then very likely the third trigger fish will come and butt into the one carrying the clamshell as though to make it drop it. The three fishes have every appearance of being at play. Then the fish with the shell will sail off through the water with it and swim around in the tank.

## AN ODD PUBLIC VOUCHER

An oddity in the way of a Government voucher has been received by the Attorney General's department. It is "For Wailuku Jail in Salvation Army, Dr." under the head of Appropriation for the support and maintenance and care of prisoners." Dated December 21, the charge is:

"To services rendered teaching and preaching the prisoners at the Wailuku jail, to December 21st, 1902, \$19."

Prior to that all the rest is the subjoined certification, to-wit:

"I hereby certify that the above has been received in good condition, L. M. Baldwin, Govt. officer directly incurring the expense."

The form of receipt at bottom is signed in blank by Sheriff Baldwin per Geo. H. Cummings, clerk. Not being aware that the Salvation Army has become the state church for Hawaii, the Attorney General has ruthlessly disallowed the claim by writing across the face of the voucher: "Not sanctioned by any appropriation. E. P. Dole."

New York, Jan. 13.—Sugar, 3.45.

## PARTY OF KOREANS

The Gaelle from the Orient this morning brought 102 Korean immigrants destined for the islands. In this party are 21 women and 23 children. The remaining 56 are able bodied men. The Koreans came here to seek employment and their appearance in Honolulu is undoubtedly the direct result of the recent trip of E. Faxon Bishop to Korea. That an attempt will be made to secure the men for the plantations goes without saying for the mission of Mr. Bishop was for the express purpose of seeking plantation labor to relieve the situation brought about by the cessation of the immigration of Chinese into the country.

This is the very first party of Koreans of any size that has ever come to the islands. In fact the number of representatives of this nationality in Hawaii at the present time, not counting those who arrived today, may be calculated in two figures.

The present immigration of Koreans is experimental. If they are found to be good laborers on the plantation and take kindly to the country, there is no question whatever that each steamer from the Orient will see a large company of these people.

The Asiatic emigrants on board the Gaelle were 2500 on board the vessel this morning instead of at the Quarantine Island as has heretofore been the custom. Collector Stackable refused to give any explanation of the reason for the change.

The trigger fish that here has taken to picking up the clam shell found lying in the tank and carrying it about, sets its teeth over its edge as it might over the edge of a little saucer, and holding it out in front it darts off with it and bunts into one of the other trigger fishes with it.

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